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## The Morning Astorian

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### TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND June 16.—Oregon and Washington.—Tuesday fair, warmer, except near coast. Idaho, fair, warmer north.

## Our Special Sale

FOR THIS WEEK

- PEARS SOAP for ..... 15c
- \$1.00 FOUILLARD SILKS ..... 68c
- 125 FOUILLARD SILKS ..... 79c
- CHILDREN AND MISSIEE FART
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Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

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You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.

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The proper time to can strawberries is near at hand. We are now receiving large shipments daily direct from the growers. Leave us your order for as many crates as you wish to can, and it will receive careful attention.—JOHNSON BROS.

County Judge Gray yesterday received word from the superintendent of the state hospital that Charles Winters, who was committed to the asylum from this county September 29, 1901, had "eloped." The expression "eloped" means escaped.

Oysters are now in excellent condition as to fatness and flavor. Properly served they form an exceedingly healthy and appetizing food. The freshest and best oysters are most skillfully prepared at the Toke Point Oyster House on Eleventh street.

Judge Kleber Osborn and son, Burr, will leave this morning for a trip of two or three weeks in Eastern Oregon and Idaho, for the benefit of the latter's health. They will stop at White Salmon, Hood River, and take in the Des Chutes valley, and later go over into Idaho.

The time of Justice Goodman was occupied yesterday with the case of the State of Oregon vs. John Hagon. The defendant is accused with having threatened to kill W. J. Ingalls, of the Lewis and Clark. The hearing was not finished, the taking of testimony being very slow.

J. S. Lahman and wife, of Tillamook, with their daughters, Misses Mauld and Pearl were registered at the Parker House last evening. They leave for San Francisco on the Columbia this morning, on their way to Napa, Cal., where they expect to make their residence in future.

The voters of school district No. 1, embracing the City of Astoria, yesterday observed the formality of electing J. E. Higgins to the office of school director, to succeed himself. Mr. Higgins was the only candidate and in consequence there was little interest in the election. Only about 50 votes were cast.

Governor-elect Chamberlain was expected to arrive in the city Sunday to attend the meeting of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Worthy President Laws received word from the governor-elect that he would be unable to come on Sunday.

A large line of hair brushes, all shades, colors and prices. Possibly the largest assortment in the city. Likewise sufficiently large from which to make a satisfactory selection. Rogers, druggist.

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Circuit Judge McBride was expected in the city yesterday, but did not arrive, and court will not be convened until today. Word was received from the judge yesterday saying he would open court today.

Thos. Moko and family start this morning for Sand Boule, Montana, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Moko is interested in some coal land in that district, which he is intending to develop.

W. E. Mokeel, who has been in the employ of the A. & C. R. R. leaves on the steamer Columbia for San Francisco on his way to Bakerfield, Cal., where he has a situation with the new railroad that is building there.

The ladies of Fern Chapter, O. E. S., are cordially invited to visit Mrs. Jennie Campbell at Bonnie Brae cottage on Friday, June 20, returning Saturday. Those who accept will please notify the secretary of the chapter on Wednesday.

The Portland Commercial Club bowling team will make a visit to the Astoria Commercial Club in a short time. Those of the local men who are bowling so far are showing up in fine form, but the number of bowlers has been greatly reduced since the warm weather set in. The local club could now select a team that would probably defeat any other team in the state.

The work of driving the foundation for the new Clatsop mills is progressing with rapidity, and by the end of the present week will be finished, if the expectations of the contracting firm are realized. Already work on the frame has been commenced. It is expected that the mills will be running by the end of October. The company will do business on a much larger scale than heretofore and the rebuilding of the mills will be a boon to wage earners.

The joint meeting of the Board of Education and the taxpayers, held last evening in the Shively school building, was attended by four of the former and four of the latter. The only business transacted was the reading of the call for the meeting and the report of the clerk. It seems that the meeting was called and held solely in conformity with law, there being no business of any importance at this time for consideration. An informal discussion of matters pertaining to school work was indulged in during which the suggestion was made that the enforced use of white paper tablets by the pupils in the place of the old fashioned black slate, was probably one of the causes of the eye troubles now so frequent among school children.

The newly elected county officers take their seats on July 7, the first Monday in the month. The changes will be made without much trouble, as the affairs of the county are in good shape. Clerk-elect Clinton is a deputy in the office at present and thoroughly understands the routine of the office. Sheriff Linville remains. Assessor-elect Cornelius will have little difficulty in getting onto the ropes, while C. J. Trenchard's knowledge of county affairs will make it easy for him to preside as county judge.

Captain John Weik, of the steamer El Hurd, reports that while the steamer was coming up from the lower harbor yesterday he sighted a mule swimming from Sand Island to Ilwaco. The animal had evidently been taken from Ilwaco to the island and, tiring of life on the sand, had determined to return home. The distance between the island and the mainland is perhaps three miles, but the mule seemed to be getting along nicely, and doubtless soon reached shore. The steamer passed close to him, but he did not appear at all frightened.

At last night's meeting of the Federated Trades Council of this city the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, J. H. Hansen; vice-president, A. J. Klafke; recording secretary, D. T. Gerdes; financial secretary, H. M. Lornsen; guide, C. F. Weich; guard, Joseph Kinkkala. Considerable business was transacted and several new unions admitted to the council. Arrangements were made for a banquet in honor of the newly elected officers to be given at the next meeting, at which time installation will take place.

Sheriff Linville is in receipt of a notice that \$3000 reward is offered for the capture of Tracy and Merrill. The poster is an attractive one, black type having been freely used, and contains pictures of the two convicts, whose remarkable flight and escape into Washington constitutes one of the most astounding incidents in the criminal annals of the West. Of the \$3000 reward, \$1500 is offered for the capture and returned, dead or alive, of either of the two men. An additional reward of \$500 is offered for the capture of the man who furnished the convicts with the rifles with which they shot the guards.

During his recent visit to this city Secretary of State Dunbar said he had made his last run for public office. Mr. Dunbar is one of the very few men who have found politics profitable. Eight years in the office of secretary of state is generally taken among politicians to be worth something over \$100,000, after all expenses during the two terms have been deducted. The yearly revenue of the secretary is between \$17,900 and \$20,000. Mr. Dunbar, who has been in politics for something like 15 years, has never been defeated for office, and his exceptionally good fortune has won for him the title of "Lucky." He is probably the most popular secretary Oregon ever had.

John D. McGowan was over from McGowan yesterday on a brief business trip. He stated that the run of fish was fairly good and that the firm had no complaint to make. About all the fish delivered at the McGowan cannery come from the traps of Baker's Bay. The river is still very high and reports from the seining grounds are to the effect that only light catches are being made. Many of the grounds are not yet being worked. There is a widespread belief that last year's great run of salmon will be duplicated this year, which will be a practical demonstration of the benefits of hatchery work. The run is expected late in the present month or early in July.

The excursion given by the Women of Woodcraft to Seaside Sunday was a grand success. There were 24 cars in the train and fully 1500 people made the trip. The excursion was run in two sections, neither one making a stop here. The trains went through in a hurry, and those who expected to board them at the depot were disappointed. Several Astorians got on the excursion trains at the beach and were carried through to points well up the river. They returned on the night train. The excursionists enjoyed themselves at the seashore, although a strong northwest wind prevailed. However, the sun was gloriously in evidence, and the excursion was a success.

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The Speke, which has just finished a great cargo in Portland, is the largest three-masted vessel ever loaded on the Columbia river. She has a cargo of 152,284 bushels of wheat and goes for orders. Four other grain cargoes of greater proportions have been shipped out of the Columbia in sailing vessels, but in every instance the carrier was a four-masted. The British bark Trade Winds, which sailed July 22, 1898, took 160,317 bushels of wheat, while the German ship Reinbek, which cleared February 2, this year, had 155,917 bushels. The British bark Royal Forth, sailing November 18, 1899, carried 172,925 bushels. The Royal Forth afterward, in 1901, came to this port flying the German flag and under the name Henriette. She carried at that time 170,742 bushels of wheat. The Oregonian's assertion on Saturday that the Speke was the largest three-masted vessel ever making this port was disputed, but it was correct.

H. C. Thompson and B. Van Dusen returned Sunday from Portland, where they attended the grand lodge session of Masons. Mr. Thompson states that the metropolis was full of visiting fraternal representatives of all kinds and that there were no accommodations to be had at the hotels. The principal feature of the session was the laying of the corner-stone of the Masonic consistory, the state home of the order. The building is to be four stories in height, of handsome design, and the fourth finest of its kind in the United States. W. F. Butcher, of Baker City, late Democratic candidate for congress, was chosen grand master of the grand lodge. At Salem, where the Masons went to assist in celebrating the semi-centennial of Salem lodge No. 4, Colonel Butcher made a speech that was considered the finest ever made in a fraternal order in Oregon. The celebration took place on Friday and was attended by 50 or 60 grand lodge delegates. The visit of the Astoria delegates to Salem was rendered exceptionally enjoyable by Secretary of State Dunbar, who showed them every courtesy, taking them through the state buildings and institutions and showing them the country in the vicinity of the Capital City.

That this year's Fourth of July celebration will be the best ever held in Astoria is apparent from the enthusiastic manner in which the industrious members of the Clerks' Union have gone about their task. Arrangements have been made with the commanding officer at Fort Stevens for the presence here on the Fourth of two companies of troops, the railroad company having very generously offered to transport the men both ways free of charge. The soldiers will be quite an attraction and will greatly improve the appearance of the parade. Yesterday the balloting for Goddess of Liberty was commenced. Ballot boxes were placed in all the principal stores and considerable interest was manifested by friends of several prominent young ladies. Miss Mollie Satter is one of the most popular candidates, and it is quite likely that the clerks will make an election, as she is a member of the union. The boxes will be opened this morning at 10 o'clock and daily hereafter at the same hour. The contest will close Saturday night and the last count will be made at 8 o'clock. President Kline, of the Clerks' union, said yesterday that very satisfactory arrangements had been made with the transportation companies, and that the crowd which will spend the Fourth in Astoria would probably be a record-breaker. The railroad company has been unusually considerate and has made a half rate to all points, not only on the West Side, but east of the city as well. People living along the railroad will be enabled to procure a round-trip ticket for one-half the usual fare. The O. R. & N. has made a 50-cent round-trip rate from Ilwaco. Free boats will be run to Grays River, Deep River, Knappaon, Chinook and Olney, and to all points reached by the Vanguard, which plies between Astoria and Cathlamet. This insures a great crowd, and, as the committees have everything well in hand, the celebration will be a memorable one. The clerks will urge upon the merchants the necessity of decorating their places of business and of being represented in the parade. The prize for the best float has been increased to \$20.

At the election which is to be held in December four new councilmen and a city attorney will be chosen. The retiring councilmen are A. Brix, of the Third ward; John Svenson and J. V. Burns, of the Second ward, and P. A. Trullinger, of the First ward. Burns and Trullinger are appointees, the former succeeding C. C. Uttinger and the latter taking the place of W. J. Cook. Under the law appointees hold only until the next election. Mr. Brix has announced positively that he will not be a candidate for re-election. The election of the city attorney in an off year was brought about by the resignation of J. M. Hughes, who was elected in 1899. He resigned after serving a few months and A. M. Smith was elected by the city council. In 1900, when the next city election took place, Mr. Smith was elected in usual manner, and holds under that election for two years, or until December of the present year. Mr. Smith will undoubtedly be a candidate for re-election.

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